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CSTS Provides Resources during Wounded Warrior Care Month

BETHESDA, Md – In honor of November being designated as Wounded Warrior Care Month by the Department of Defense, the Uniform Services University of the Health Sciences' (USU) Center for the Study of Traumatic Stress (CSTS) has created a Warrior Care poster and dedicated Warrior Care Web site page at www.cstswarriorcare.org.

The CSTS Web site page has educational resources for leadership, health care providers and military families. All of the resources, including the poster, are in the public domain. Organizations can download fact sheets and the poster for distribution purposes.

CSTS is a part of the USU Department of Psychiatry, and a partnering center of the Defense Centers of Excellence (DCoE) for Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury. CSTS advances the fields of military psychiatry and disaster psychiatry to inform evidence-based approaches, clinical care and interventions to optimize warrior care and military family resilience. Dr. Robert J. Ursano is the Director of CSTS and Professor and Chairman of the USU Department of Psychiatry.

The Uniformed Services University is located on the grounds of Bethesda's National Naval Medical Center and across from the National Institutes of Health. It is the nation's federal school of medicine and graduate school of nursing. The university educates health care professionals dedicated to career service in the Department of Defense and the U.S. Public Health Service. Students are active-duty uniformed officers in the Army, Navy, Air Force and Public Health Service, who are being educated to deal with wartime casualties, natural disasters, emerging infectious diseases, and other public health emergencies. Of the university's more than 4,000 physician alumni, the vast majority serve on active duty and are supporting operations in Iraq, Afghanistan, and elsewhere, offering their leadership and expertise.

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